of death from natural causes.

s room for improvement in America.

Maggie Green, an aged colored woman.

who lives at No. 432 First street, was se

rom Crusader Hall, No. 910 Pennstyvania

A nine-year-old boy named Thomas Mc-Mahon, who lives with his parents at No.

410 I street north west, was run over at

the corner of Fifth street and New York

avenue yesterday, by a milk wagon driven by Edward Arrington. The lad's foot was

rushed, and he was otherwise prinfully

A card case containing \$9.50, the prop-

erty of L. Esworthy, was stolen by a

While James Davis, of No. 124 N street

ably be amputated.

ndication that he will recover.

avenue northwest.

Capt. J. A. Perry has resigned the pres

horities have been using the police patrol

wagons and ambulances until the new

The Commissioners have ordered the con

struction of sixty-five feet of twenty-one-

An allotment was made today, by order

of the Commissioners, of \$500 from the

emergency fund for the use of the parking

commissioners, to meet the expense in

curred in the removal of tree branches

and appropted trees found in the parks and

treets as the result of the recent storms

Judge Miller sent William Diggs to Jail

this morning for four months. William

bit Mary Nash over the head with a bottle

Edward Bush, the colored driver of or

ail today by Judge Miller today for fou

home here several nights ago.

rom the saloon of William J. Daly, on H

Omaha, Neb., May 23,-Stanley Claycomb

was arrested several weeks ago, charged

The court decided yesterday, as the tes-

imony must necessarily be the same, two

juries should be empanelled. Two juries

ive been sworn, and an unprecedented case

of two juries and two cases going on at the

same time before one judge is the result.

National Conference of Silver Men.

y Gen. A. J. Warner, of the American Bi

Metallie Union, and Henry T. Niles, of

Toledo, national committeeman, has made

its appearance calling for a national con-

ference of silver men at Columbus. Obio

Famous Inventor Dead.

New York, May 23 .- Charles Goodyear

ldest son of the late Charles Goodyear,

famous as the inventor of the process of

at his home in this city of pneumonia

nizing india rubbers died yesterday

was known as the inventor of the

n Wednesday, June 3.

Goodyear shoe muchinery.

vere filed, making separate cases.

treet near Second street northeast.

fore, and they fear fool play.

ored boy, with a black-snake whip.

of Barber & Ross' wagons, was sent to

He struck Perry Powell, a cole

during a heated argument.

tween Third and Fourth streets.

avenue, to the church.

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WILLIAM BUTLER. Superintendent of Circulation. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of May, A. D. 1896.

[SEAL] ERNEST G. THOMPSON. Notary Public.

ELITOME OF THE NEWS IN THE MORNING TIMES.

If you miss any news in the ever edition look in the list below. What you're looking for was probably published in this morning's edition, and as The Times never repeats you'll the news as quick as it happens.

NO BOLTERS NEED APPLY— Harrity intimates that Delegates Will Be Sifted.

COCKING CASE GOES OVER— La Pinta Alleged Murderer Gets a Change of Venue.

CET IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS— Postoffice and Printing Office May Suffer.

MAY WHEEL ON SUNDAY— Presbyterian Assembly Is Liberal on the Bicycle Question.

Purther Details of the Storm Fatalitie

in Oklahoma.

QUAY'S KNOCK ANSWERED— Welcomed by McKinley to a Two Hours Close Conference.

HOLT WILL YET A MYSTERY— New Witnesses Throw a Little Light or the Famous Case.

LIQUOR AT THE CAPITOL—
Senate Receives a Protest from the
Methodist Conference. HAD A RIDE IN THE FENDER-Nimh Street Car Neatly Picked a Lady

WHERE ARE THESE WIDOWS-Police Asked to Find Two Fair Young Cyclists.

BENT FORTH BY HOWARD-Theological De

partment Given Diplomas. TO MEET THE COLTS TODAY— Man! Will Be in the Box Against Anson

BUREAUS SCORED TEN-

Vinkieman Was an Enigma to the Dis-tricts.

CHEVY CHASE TEA BENEFITS A HOSociety People Made Pleasure Serve a

DR. SPRIGG APOLOGIZED— Improperly Addressed Essiop Whittle in the Council.

8HOWED HOW THEY WON 1T— Mortons Repeated the Prize Drill at Their Reception.

LITTLE FORTUNE IN SIGHT— Many, Benefits Planned for the Firemen's Families. TO LAW FOR A DIAMOND PIN— William Montague Gets a Writon the Po-lice for His Find.

THROUGH FOR ONE FARE— Why Capital Traction Comp. Give Two Transfers

CHARITY IN OUR CITY.

hausted. It is "boundless as the sea; the

more it gives, the more it hath." Whether

the charity of our people is called upon to

provide for the poor whom we have with us

always, for a family afflicted by some awful

of some terrible catastrophe, like the re-

it is always rendy to respond. No matter

part of the world but that Washington has

been among the first seeking to give relief.

Our people are fortunate in being able

to give at all times and to experience to the

full the truth of the saying that it is more

blessed to give than to receive. They

are not troubled by any devastating out-

barsts of the elements; the havoe of storm

and flood is to them unknown. Only at long

intervals does some such calamity as the

of the event and relieve the distress and

fully as possible. No sooner had the news

been spread, for instance, that several fire-

men had lost their lives than relief funds

were started, collections taken up and ar

tangements made for entertainments and

excursions for the benefit of the families

of the dead. Already the amounts realized

in different quarters have reached gratify-

for obtaining such a sum as to shield the

widows and orphans effectually against

It is unnecessary to make repeated ap

SHERMAN'S APPEAL.

by the venerable Senator from Ohio ought

to be beeded by the Senate. He was

right in declaring that "if this Congress

adjourns without giving the Treasury re-

lief it will be an outrage and a shame."

The Senate knows that a deficit is in-

evitable unless something is done to cre-

ate more revenue. The appropriations al-

ready made go far beyond the estimated

income of the country for the next fiscal

providing the money to meet the obliga-

tions of the government, the obligations

which it itself has created, would be an act

which it would be difficult to designate

that will do what is absolutely necessary

Treasury; money enough to pay the cur-

rent expenses of the government and sus-

ry placed above petty considerations of

It will not do to say that Congress should

not have appropriated for this or for

that, knowing the condition of the Treas-

ory. It was the duty of Congress to make

proper provision for all the needs of the

enact legislation which will give the Treas-

demands. Beside this question all others

not afford to ignore it; no individual Sen

ator, be he Republican, Democrat or Pop-

ulist, sound money or free silver, pro-

tectionist or free trader, can afford to

place himself in such a position that it

can be said of him that he refused to up-

hold the nation's credit or sustain the

government in the proper exercise of all

The resolution offered by Representative

Grosvenor calling upon the Secretary of

the Treasury for a list of employes affected

by the President's last civil service reform

order, and the fact that a like inquiry is to

be addressed to the heads of all the other

executive departments, conveys an intima-

tion that the Republican managers are of

uneasy minds over the prospect that there

will not be enough "pap" to go around

among the faithful. Of course the dispensing

of patronage has been very greatly circum

scribed by civil service reform-in fact.

comparatively little is left to be doled out

to those who have been active in "whooping

it up" for the successful candidate and the

party. Of consulates there are not many,

and these, as a rule, are not bestowed upon

the high privates, but upon the captains of

tens and hundreds and thousands. Outside

of these the crumbs are few and far be-

No doubt the Republicans look upon Mr

Cleveland as exceedingly unkind for snatche

ing away what little comfort had been left

them, just on the eve of his departure from

the scene. They have sighed for the flesh-

pots of Egypt and consider it a hardship

o find themselves debarred from them at

this stage of the game. They are casting

about, therefore, for a way to snatch some

crumbs of comfort and patronage, and Mr.

Grosvenor's resolution is a Fort of divining-

rod intended to locate any hidden treasure

noon which the hungry host may pounce

to satisfy their appetite for spoils. Al-

though nearly a year will elapse before

there can be a change of administration.

and though the Fates may decree against

them, the Republicans are looking around

Fortunately, both law and public sen-

timent will prevent any serious uphcaval,

Means will be found, of course, to circum-

vert the law in some instances, but no ad-

ministration, whether Republican or Dem-

ocrat, will be bold enough to reverse

the now-established policy of civil serv-

ice reform. To do so would mark it for

defeat at the very next election. Mr.

Grosvenor's anxiety, and that of his party

that, revolutions do not go backward.

AT THE STATION

Biffins-Where are you off to, old man Newbub-Oklahoma.

HER ANCIENT HERITAGE.

Plate must have known woman's fond-ness for bouncts when he defined man as "A two-legged animal without feathers."

associates, is quite natural, but, for all

in time to see what they can see.

JUST A STRAW.

government, just as it is its duty to

faction or party.

its functions.

shame."

The words uttered in debate yesterday

urgency of the situation demands.

The City at a Glance. in Washington. The supply is never ex-

> Mr. James L. Pugh, assistant prosecuting attorney for the District, left today for Allentown Pa to visit his wife and children who are summering there.

calamity, like the Kreglos, for the victims An evidence of the increase in the bicycle cent fire, or for the support of some insticraze is the sale of wheels in several jew elry tution that cares for sufferers from disease, stores, and now it is left for a store of P street, selling surgical instruments, to how frequent or how great the demand supon add a bicycle department. In the window a bike is posed, surrounded by a gruesom It, the response is spontaneous and generassortment of surgical tools and other ous. Nor is the outpouring of this kindness municrous instruments that doctors have to always confined to purely local objects. No cry of distress has ever been heard in any

> Both Judges Miller and Kimball have issued strict orders against cigarette smoking in any part of the police court. Policeman Flynn downstairs and Col. Marks the officer in charge of the upper court, sa that the edict is carried out vigorously

At the request of many who were prevented by the rain from attending the garden party given last evening by the Ladies' Aid Association of the Homeopathic recent fire startle them, and then all vie Hospital, it will be contined at the Chevy Chase Inn this evening from 4 until 9. with one another to mitigate the horrors clock. Refreshments and dancing. soffering caused by it as quickly and as

A general alarm was sent out from the Third precinct station the other night. It called upon the police in the other eight prewith her brood of eight young chicks, which were either lost, strayed or stolen."

A force of workmen are at work making accessary repairs upon the interior of the police court building, and the sound of hammer and saw mingles with the shouts of ingly large figures, and the prospect is fair the bailiffs calling for recalcitrant wit-

Several converts to the Christadelphian peals for aid to any worthy cause, and so in taith will be immersed at 3:30 o'clock to the present instance the outpouring of charity norrow afternoon, according to the rites of will be as prompt and as generous as the that belief, at the church, on Eighth street, between F and G streets, northeast. An nteresting sermon for the occasion will be

> Policeman Settright, who has been seriosly ill for a long time, is rapidly improving.

Poundmaster Einstein is off on a vacation. He is making a tour through the Berkshire Hills. Policeman Ned Farrer is acting in ris absence.

Lawyer Albert Sillers' wife and family will spend the summer in their cottage at Colonial Beach.

year. For Congress to adjourn without Palmistry is attracting considerable at tention in Washington just now and an ex-labition of skill is soon to be given at Senator Stewart's residence.

Mr. William T. Peters has sold his lunchas anything less than "an outrage and a Louisiana avenue. A revenue bill is before the Senate. It may not meet the views of a faction

Mr. William B. Robertson has started on a fifty-mile bleycle trip into Virgina. He was accompanied out of the city by a numof either party, but it is the only thing ber of friends. to be done; it will put money into the

Two business houses on C street north

vest, between Four-and-a-half and Seventh treets, vacant for the past six months, have everal dollars worth each of window panes the whole muchinery of the government roken. It is the hope of the parking commission that the crop of caterpillars this year will be greatly diminished, and the destruction

o foliage correspondingly decreased, owing o the efforts recently put forth to destroy

the cocoons. The parks have been given a borough overhauting, and every vestige diseverable of the animal scource removed. It is understood a construction company as agreed to undertake the building of the apital railway line from Concress Heights onnect with the Capital Traction at the Navy Yard, and the Metropolitan at Bast Capitol and Eleventh streets, and have it ompleted in forty-five days. The plans

for letting the contract are not yet con

The West Virginians in Congress are con gratulating each other upon the success of Senator Elkins in having his amendment to the rivers and harbors bill approved by he Monongabeia River is to be stacked to its source, and made free to navigation its full length. The bill carries a direct approprintion of \$1,230,000 for the constru of six dams between Fairmont and Morgantown.

The new free library at Piftmenth and H treets, with entrance opposite the Cosmos Club is proving a great blessing to hose for whom it was intended. The li-brary is open from 9 n. m. to 10 p. m. daily and is visited by large crowds.

The program to be given at Marshall Hall Tuesday evening, May 26, the night of the Esther Chapter, O. E. S., excursion, will be one of the most interesting events of the week to local musicians. Among hose who will participate are the High School octet, Mr. J. Henry Kaiser, Mr. John Tweedale, Mrs. H. C. Browning. Miss O'Donohue, Miss Hancock, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Bradford.

Pythias will give an excursion and May estival to Buena Vista on Monday, May 25. The arrangements are in the hands of he following committees: Executive committee-Mr. Ruckdaesctel George Scheneb, E. Waldecker, T. W. Coombs and Jacob Brigger. Committee on grounds and amusements-A. B. Mannel, C. F. Herrmann, Norman Pruitt, John Enders ind George F. Fogle

Mr. George Antwert, of Georgetown s the recipient of the welcome news that is son. Howard, of Columbia University Yew York, who has been seriously ill, s improving rapidly.

The body of a colored female infant was ound on the commons of the Ninth police precinct vesterday evening. It was ed to the station house, and the cormer notified.

Colonial Beach is to have an exclusively local newspaper this summer. It will be called "Colonial Beach Hems," and will be devoted to the interests of the beach and boat. Mr. Paul W. Evans, a son of the owner of the beach, is the editor and

George Trowbridge, a seven-year-old boy, caught his foot in the car racks at the intersection of Eleventh and streets, yesterday evening, and twisted is ankle so that he was unable to walk on it. He was taken into the drug store on the corner, and the injury dressed.

bath school of All Soul's church gave their annual excursion and pienie at Marshall Hall today. A large crowd are enjoying

Engine house No. 8, on North Carolina evenue, is draped in mourning out of respect to the memory of the firemen mem ers of that company who lost their lives at Monday night's conflagration.

Workmen under Col. Wilson, superintend dent of public parks and grounds today gave the equestrian statue of Gen. Scott its annual scrubbing.

HEARD BY THE LOUNGER

The remains of William P. Slater, late a bookbinder at the Government Printing Office, who dropped dead in front of No. 227 G street northwest yesterday afternoon, as fold in The Morning Times, have been turned. GENTLEMAN who many years ago new one in this city was reading a over to the family of the deceased, who reside at No. 715 Second street northeast. etter when the Lounger met him.
"It is from home," said he. "They were

Coroner Hammett today gave a certificate oreparing to celebrate independence day ac-ording to this letter, and they have already celebrated it now. The anniversary is on May 17. Eighty-two yars ago, on the 17th A local carriage manufacturer has shipped to Chicago two handsome and unique instant, the people of Norway ratified a constitution that has given them a greater aravans for the use of a party of actors n making a tour through the West, from degree of individual liberty than they ever hicago overland across the plains to Dennjoyed before. It bound Norway and weeden into one, and white that would ot have been as good as complete inde, Prof. Darton of the geological survey pendence, it was far better for the Norwegians than to be under the oppressive roke of the Danes. The people themselves in New York engaged in completing a sentific map of the regions about Trenton ave the right to change their constitution Considerable talk is heard among the and the Swedish king has no hand in it. wheelmen regarding the refusal of the street car companies to carry bicycles. Street cars in Paris are provided with ap-The 17th is to the people at home what Fourth of July is to the people of this country, and though they are not wholly independent pliances for the carrying of wheels on the sides and rear ends of the cars, and there hey are practically so."

THE attractive tactics employed by the members of the Salvation Army and the Volunteers for the salva-souls have been modestly eclipsed verely bitten on the hip by a vicious dog at by the efforts of an evangelist in our little city," said D. W. Simms, of Gallipolis, an early hour this morning. The aged wo-Onlo, at the Shoreham.

was guawing a hone and he sprang upon "The evangelist's name is Wilson. He ecame imbued with the idea that it would The Knights of Malta commanderies of make men turn from the excitements of this city have accepted an invitation from Rev. D. W. Skellenger to aftend divine serpolitical campaigns to look after the wel-fare of their souls. With that hypothesis vices on May 31 at the Sixth Presbyterian o start upon, he secured the services of a Church at Sixth and C streets southwest. With this he marches through rass band. The knight sin uniform will march in a body the street before the services, and winds upin front of the church. But that is not all. 'In the churchyard he has placed an iron annon, and one of his assistants stands James Johnson, a colored farm hand beside it. Immediately before the servfrom Virginia, was found by the Fifth ces commence the cannon is filled with precinct police sick and helpless at Twelfth powder alone and is fired. Of course, the and B streets southeast. He was sent to the Washington Asylum Hospital in the boom is very loud. Prayer by Rev. Wil-son follows. That is only the beginning

f the assistant's duties, however, "By and by the time arrives to ask those sho wish to be prayed for to stand up. With every individual who gets up the as sistant out in the yard fires off a skyrocket. Seekets for prayer rise by scores. and the air is filled with talls of fire. Every time in individual professes conersion the cannon is fired off. Rev. Wil son says that the object of the demonstraions is to turn men's attentions to his meetings, and his purpose is certainly acomplished."

sneak thief from his during table yester-tay at his residence, No. 2029 Fourteenth LIEUTENANT of police in our city street northwest. The theft was reported to Inspector Hollinberger this forenoon. has hit upon a novel expedient of extorting confessions from crimnals," remarked a Chicago traveling man at the Regent. "It is bound to be a success southeast, has trying to board a gravel rain of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad whether the man has any thing to confess : r

not. The system will bring its confession.
"In accordance with this police officer's at Eckington yesterday afternoon, he at Eckington resterily afternoon, he fell under tife rars and one wheel passed over his left forgarm, crashing it to a pulp. He was removed to Providence Hospital in the Eighth precinct patrol dea the prisoner will be placed in a darkened room with a grinning skull fitted up with electric bulbs. Doubtless full skele on attachments will be added to the skull cagon and the injured member will prop before the scheme is complete. It is the ination of the eriginator of the plan to in-An unknown colored boy, about thirteen troduce graveyard scenes and other spec acular extravaganzas indicative of the years of age, enconscious and supposed to save been knocked down by a bicycle, was presence of Beelzebub and the 'sweatbox' rill be complete. This application of mental picked up today by the Fifth precinct police at Eighth street and Pennsylvania agony is only a step removed from the ap-plication of physical ageny and at that rate avenue soutpeast, and sent to the Washington Asylum for treatment. t looks like we would soon get back to the ractices of the inquisition. Ignacio Spognitti, a banana dealer, wasar-

rested on Permsylvania avenue near Tenth street this morning. Two policemen and a crowdof snallboys attended the ceremony. political in w of the last few years that the Vice Presidential candidate must given to the State in which State pride is The improvement noted yesterlay in the equired to supplement party loyalty," reondition of Capt. George E. Lemon, who arked a prominent politician this morn-

ias been so seriously ill at the Shoreham The old idea that if the first man on a Horet for several days, continues. He ticket come from the East the second must come from the West or vice versa is now a was much better this morning than he has een since his attack, and there is every thing of the past. It has now become usual to put the Vice Presidential candidate in me close State. In 1876 Mr. Wheeler of New York was placed on the ticket with lency of the Capital City Club, a colored organization at No. 340 Pennsylvania Haves of Ohio. In 1880 Gen. Arthur, also f New York, ran with Garfield of Ohio. It is not improbable, therefore, that Ohio and New York will again set the pace, and Mr. Morton may once more come back The Emergency Hospital ambulance was today, after having been out of ser vice for some time past, owing to the ab-sence of a horse to haul it. A new animalat the head of the Scuate. The idea of entirely of late years, however." was secured vesterday. The hospital au-

CFRIOUSLY THOUGHT HUMOROUS

The Teacher Experience Some men never learn except by expeience that honesty is the best policy.

Why It Was a Failure. see Smartleigh's book has failed."

"Yes; couldn't get it denied transmission No Flies On Him.

The Democrats held their county convenion in a small Kansas town not long ago. when a country lad, who proved to be some hing of a wag, journeyed thither with four roung pupples for sale.

After casting about for a purchaser for

ome time, be was finally accosted by one Want to sell those pups?

"Yessir," promptly replied the lad, scent ng a sale

The police of the several precincts are looking for Mary Michael, white, who dis-appeared suddenly and mysteriously from "Aren't they too young? They haven't heir eyes open yet. The dog merchant assured the would-be friends say she has never gone away benurchaser that they were old enough to be aised without any difficulty, and, after dding that they were Democratic puppies, finally succeeded in disposing of two of ov was sent to fall for six months by Judge

> A couple of weeks later the Populists held beir convention in the same town, and the wo remaining pups were again offered for

TWO JURIES AND ONE JUDGE. "What are their politics?" inquired a Peculiar Judicial Procedure in a Ne

"Populists," replied the boy, profiting by ils experience with the Democrat At this juncture the purchaser of the other

wo chanced to be passing, and, overhearing with robbing the graves of Hannah Larsen his last remark, called out: "What, Populists? You young scamp and Jacob Helin, and disposing of their didn't you tell me two weeks ago they were odies to the Drake Medical College, in Democrats?" Des Moines, Iowa. Two distinct charges "I know I did, but they have since pened their eyes "

Unsatisfactory.

Stranger (to one-armed man)-Been in Complacent one-armed man-Never, in

'Machinery, maybe?" Toledo, Ohio, May 23 .- A circular, signed

Wreck?" "Never was in a wreck." Five minutes silence.

'Blood poisoning made it necessary to

mputate, maybe "Ever fight a due!"" 'Never."

Ten minutes silence Finally the one-armed man spoke "I see you are naturally curious to know how I lost my arm. Well, I will tell you on one condition, viz-if you will ask no

urther questions."
The assent was readily given. "Well, sir, it was bit off."

Saturday at Saks'.



Those Men's \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$20 Suits

Choice of all the Boys' \$5 two-piece Short Pants Woolen Suits-except Blue and Black Serges--

\$3.98.

\$1.98 Ladies' Shirt Waists for 98c

These are three of the biggest value-offerings that have been made in many a long day.

SAKS AND COMPANY

Pa. Ave. and 7th St.- Saks Corner

COMING TO THE THEATERS.

Mary Sanders will make her stellar debut at the New National Theater Monday even-ing next as announced, and hermany friends and an extensive public which has known acr special acting in the past are await-ing the event with pleasurable expectancy. He. • rother Boo, 'a content by Charles ing the event with pleasurable expectancy.

He, a rother 1900, a comean by Charles Bradley, is the play selected for Alies Sanders acout. It tens a manorous story of modern are in a lemma codege, and is said to be repete with mirrinfan moments. The company has been hard at work for week; in New York city, and the numerous rehearsais insure a perfect premier.

The cast presents a long ast of Washington favorities. Among them are Joseph Wheelock, jr., Fercy Brooke, who has a capital character rose; Mand Alone Findiny, and Agnes Findiny. Seats were placed on sale Thursday.

Sousa's Band at the Lafayette Square Opera House tomorrow night numbers may people. Its leader is the renowned John Philip Sousa, for fourteen years the band masser of the United States Marine Band at Washington, distinguished alike for his ability as a leader and hismassterial works a composer. His marches, notably the "Washington Post," the "Directorate," the "Liberty Beil, "the "Manhattan Beach" and numberiess others, are played by bands on planos and hand organs, and whistled on the streets more extensively than any compositions of the time. Sousas must nets him a handsome fortune every year, His music with heard as emores at his concert in this city next sunday night, in connection with a varied program of classical and popular music. The vocal soloist for the occusion will be Miss Minnle Tracey, a young woman possessing a soprano voce of marvelous sweetenss and bower, and the

young woman possessing a soptano voic of marvelous sweetness and power, and the wiodnest Miss Jeame Franko. Sale of seats opens tomorrow morning at box office.

PRESBYTERIAN FINANCES. Report of the Special Committee on

the New York Building. New York, May 23.- The report of the pecial committee on the erection of the Presbyterian building at Fifth avenue and Twentieth street has been secured in advance of its presentation to the assembly ow in session at Saratoga. The committee geographical location has been lost sight of full, although some work is still to be

done on the building.

The total net cost of lots and building, as shown by reports up to July 1, 1895, are given as \$1,757,500

The committee adds to its report an estimate of the present and prospective returns from the building. This estimate is pased upon the agent's returns under date of March 10, 1896. The total space rented on that date amounted to \$63,476.75, and the approximate rents of the unoccurred a total of \$123,002.50. Only an approxinate estimate can be given as to the running expenses, and this is stated to be about \$117,520, leaving a margin of \$5,572.50. The rental value of the seventh and eighth

floors, occupied by the two boards, is \$25,

000, thus giving a surplus, should the building be fully rented, of \$30.572.50. It will be noticed in the above that the rent of the board's quarters is figured as part of the prospective income, making the actual future income, as figured by the com-mittee on an investment of \$1,757,500.19.

The committee, in its report, also says It will be seen that the oft-repeated assertions, made, we believe, in most cases bo stly, though ignorantly, that the boards were using funds which had been given or equeathed to them for the current work. and that their diversion to pay the cost of the lots and building was the cause of their financial embarrassments and of the acstruggling, have absolutely no foundation

SITUATION IN CRETE SERIOUS. Christian Insurgents' Success in Fight ing Turkish Troops.

Athens, May 23. - The situation in Crete s very serious and daily becomes more tening. A detachment of Turkish tree is at Yoxaris has been besieved by the Caris n populace for two weeks and in the fighting that has occurred eighteen men have been killed. In a fight at Drazu ten men were killed.

The success of the insurgents has caused a panic among the Turkish rustic populathe towns for pretection fearing that they would be massacred if they remained in their homes. Fifteen hundred Turkish men, romen and children in the country about Retimo have taken refuge in that town

A Model Furnishings Store me time ago it was announced that Mr. Edward Tanzer bad opened a first-class

gentlemen's furnishings store, at 403-405 Seventh street. The enterprise thus begun has become a center for men, a Mecca, where the man-hood and youth of Washington find every

need, every requisite, and in the best possible taste.

It is often that the highest grade goods are sold at the very highest grade process. Such is not the case at Tanzer's, for Tanzer's prices are the talk of the whole male remulating of the city.

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Tanzer's sweaters, Tanzer's neckwear.

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That sale of suits, skirts, coats and capes.

If we had done the managing ourselves we couldn't have managed it more successfully than the manufacturers of women's suits. skirts, coats and capes have done it for us. They made up too many garments, believing that a big season was ahead. Orders have come in slowly, and now they've found themselves overstocked. We offered them cash for an immense quantity, which they snapped up instantly.

The garments are herewent on sale this morning, and never in our recollection have such quality-such style-such exclusivenessbeen sold for so litt e money.

A few of them are-

Tan Covert and Navy and Black Serge Suits, with blazer or reefer jackets and wide, stiffened and bound skirts-suits which we have sold for \$6.50 can be sold for \$4.50.

All-wool Tan and Gray Mixed and Navy Serge Subs, in blazer and reefer styles; skirts 6 1-2 yards wide

stiffened and velvet bound; jackets built satin fined—just such suits which we have been selling for \$10 and \$11. Black and White Shepherd Check Skirts, 6 yards wide, stiftened and

velvet bound-the usual \$4 sort, to \$1.90.

Fine quality Brocaded and Plain Satin Duchesse Skirts, nearly 7 yards wide, thoroughly made-lined and stiffened - skirts which are sold everywhere for \$12 and \$14, are marked \$9.55-

Imported Tan and Black Broadcioth Jackets, elegantly and styl-ishly made, some like we have been selling for \$8.50, are only \$4 75

Children's All-woot Tan, Red and Navy Recfers, neatly triumed, worth no less than \$3.50, for \$1.95.

Tan and Black Broadcioth and Cheviot Capes, heavily braided, and good value at \$5, for \$2.75. Silk and Velvet and Tan and Black Sig and vevet and fan and back Broadcloth Capes, rightly trimmed and handsomely lined—the like of which we have been selling for ar high as \$8—for \$4.75.

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An Aged Woman Wants to Marry Her Late Daughter's Husband.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 23, -Mrs. Augusta Domagaleka, aged seventy eight years, has med Ludwig Sinder, her son-in-law, for reach of promise of marriage, asking for \$10,000 damages. Mrs. Domagaleka aleges in her suit that she was en aged as usekeeper for Sinder when his wife died, on June 18 last. She was requested toontinue in service. Just a month after his wife's death Sinder, she says, proposed marriage to his mother-in-law. She accepted nd October 23 was set for the wedding

The fact was published among the neighbors, but the wedding was postpened from time to time, and finally, last April, Sinder out his betrothed out of the house, and for everal months previously he treated her oldly. She alleges that Sinder now wants o marry a younger woman. He frequently showed his mother-in-law evidences of

wealth. Sinter denies the allegations made by Mrs. Dongaleke. It is said, anyhow, there s a law forbidding a woman to marry ber daughter's husband

Next Sunday will be another of these opular German days at River View, and apt. Randall has made preparations for the entertainment of a very large throng-The Columbia Turn Verein will give their annual excursion to the View on that day and will celebrate it with a grand exhibition of athletic sports peculiar to the Turners. There will be wand drills, parallel and horizontal bar exercises, running and imping exercises, forming pyramids and

The jelly German residents of Washington who form the Columbia Turn Verein will be out in full force and the cool and shady. awns of River View will be a mercy place on Sunday. The chute has been completed and is now ready for service and will be running for the amusement of the pleasure seekers. "Have you shot the chute," is now the question and many will take advantage of this opportunity to be able to answer "yes" 'chirte' is described as a most pleasurable ne. There is a wild slide down the incline at the rate of forty miles an hour, a sudden splash and bound as the boat strikes the water and then the chute boat settles down into the water and is rowed to the shore Those who have shot the chute once always want to try it again. On Sunday next the Pentz will make three frast trips to the View, leaving her wharf, foot of Seventh street, at 11 a.m., 2:45 and 6 p. m. and returning at 1, 5, 7:30 and 9:30 p.m. The tickets, which are 25 cents, can be had from any member of the committee or at the wharf on Sunday next.

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